GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
PETROLEUM AND NATURAL GAS
LOK SABHA

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SUBSIDY ON LPG AND KEROSENE
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Will the Minister of PETROLEUM AND NATURAL GAS be pleased to state:

(a) the details of subsidies attributable to LPG and Kerosene during 2000-2001; and

(b) the extent to which these subsidies have been brought down during 2001-2002?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF PETROLEUM AND NATURAL GAS AND MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINIS PARLIAMENTARY AFFAIRS (SHRI SANTOSH KUMAR GANGWAR)

(a) & (b): The estimated subsidy on domestic LPG and PDS kerosene for the year 2000-2001 and 2001-2002 is as follows:

(Rs. in crore)

Year	Domestic LPG	PDS Kerosene	Total
2000-2001	6724	7522	14,246
2001-2002	5830	5310	11,140+

+ Provisional